

***TWAINGROUP.COM* Terms of Use**

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1. DESCRIPTION OF THE SITE.

General Description. The site is a commercial website that allows *TWAINGROUP.COM* users to share their ideas and interests with the *TWAINGROUP.COM* community. Through the site, you are able to post your own content and comment on content found on this website. Additionally, the website acts as a conduit for event registration and payment to events sponsored by Silberberg Innovations, LLC.

Ages 13 and Over Only. The site is intended for those ages 13 and over. If you are under 13 years of age, then please do not use the *TWAINGROUP.COM* website as there are lots of other great websites for you. Talk to your parents about what sites are appropriate for you.

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Changes to these Terms of Use. *TWAINGROUP.COM* reserves the right to modify these Terms of Use at any time, and without prior notice, by posting amended terms to this policy. Non-material changes and clarifications will take effect immediately, and material changes will take effect within 14 days of their posting on the *TWAINGROUP.COM* website. If we make material changes, we will post them in a link at the bottom of our home page and will indicate the Terms of Use effective date. Your continued use of the site indicates your acceptance of the current Terms of Use.

2. USER CONDUCT.

Conditions of Use. As a condition of use, you agree to all of the following:

- You acknowledge that the site is for personal use only. You agree that you will not use the site for any commercial purposes.
- You are responsible for all activity that occurs under your name, profiles and other online identities.
- You are solely responsible for your conduct and any Content (defined below) that you submit, post, and display on the site, or that you allow others to submit, post and/or display on the site under your name, profiles and other online identities.
- You must not harass, threaten, impersonate, or intimidate other *TWAINGROUP.COM* users.
- You must not upload, post, email, transmit or otherwise make available any content that is unlawful, harmful, threatening, abusive, harassing, tortious, defamatory, vulgar, obscene, libelous, invasive of another's privacy, hateful, or racially, ethnically or otherwise objectionable.
- You must not upload, post, email, transmit or otherwise make available any unsolicited or unauthorized advertising, promotional materials, "junk mail," "spam," "chain letters," "pyramid schemes," "affiliate links" or any other form of solicitation.
- You must not transmit any worms or viruses or any code of a destructive nature.
- You must not violate any local laws in your jurisdiction (including, but not limited to, intellectual property laws).
- You must not use the site for any illegal or unauthorized purpose. If you are an international user, you agree to comply with all local laws in your jurisdiction regarding online conduct and acceptable content.
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3. SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION OF USE.

We May Discontinue or Suspend Our Site or Terminate Your Use. We reserve the right at any time and from time to time to modify or discontinue, temporarily or permanently, our site (or any part thereof) with or without notice. You agree that *TWAINGROUP.COM* shall not be liable to you or any third party for any such modification, suspension or discontinuance of our site. In addition, we reserve the right to terminate your access to our site for any reason, and to take any other actions that *TWAINGROUP.COM*, in its sole discretion, believes to be in the interest of our company and of our users as a whole.

4. COPYRIGHT POLICY.

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TWAINGROUP.COM respects the intellectual property rights of others, and *TWAINGROUP.COM* asks that our website visitors and users do the same. It is our policy to disable access to or remove material that we believe in good faith to be infringing on a copyrighted work. *TWAINGROUP.COM* also disables and/or terminates the use of those who *TWAINGROUP.COM* believes in good faith are repeatedly infringing copyrighted works.

Our Copyright Policy has been developed in accordance with the Digital Millennium Copyright Act (DMCA). By accepting the Terms of Use, you agree to be bound by our Copyright Policy.

(a) By posting or submitting content on or to our site (regardless of the form or medium with respect to such content, whether text, videos, photographs, audio or otherwise), you are giving us, and our affiliates, agents and third party contractors the right to display or publish such content on our site and its affiliated publications in the form submitted to store such content, and to distribute such content and use such content for promotional and marketing purposes.

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